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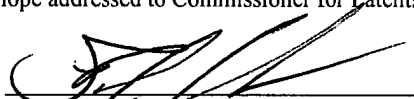
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FORM IN COMPLIANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e)**

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e), Applicants submit that the content of the "Sequence Listing" in the above-referenced patent application is identical to the sequence listing filed in the parent application, U.S. Serial No. 08/656,055, filed May 31, 1996 (U.S. Pat. No. 6,027,882). Applicants respectfully request that a copy of the C.R.F. filed in the parent application be included in the above-identified application in lieu of a new C.R.F.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), Applicants' Agent hereby states that the contents of the "Sequence Listing" in paper form as originally filed and the C.R.F. incorporated hereinabove are the same.

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